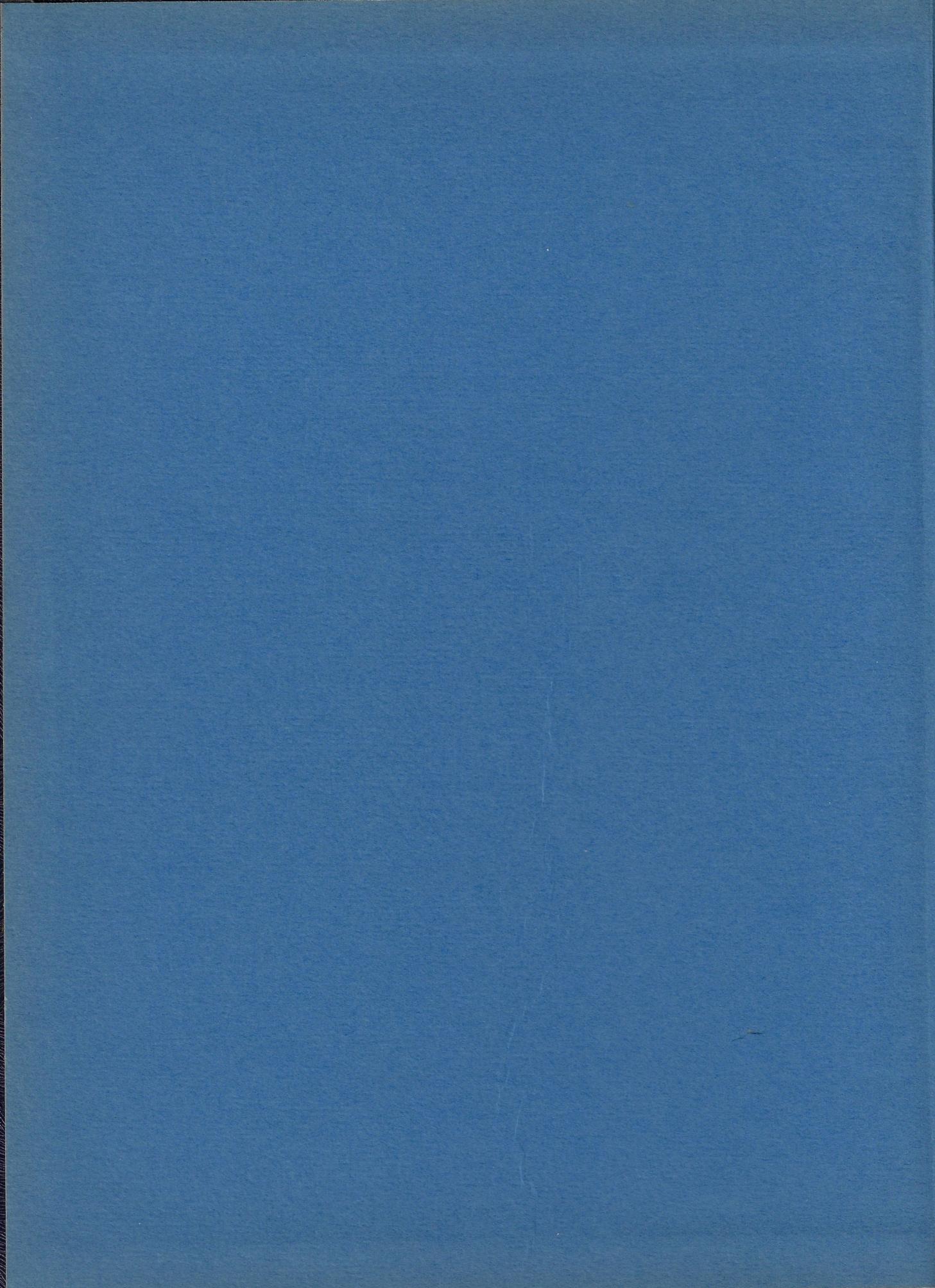


# CROSSROADS



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# CROSSROADS

## 1953





## WE DEDICATE

THE 1953 CROSSROADS TO DR. PAUL R. STEVICK

*His life was gentle, and the elements  
So mixed in him that Nature might stand up  
And say to all the world, "This was a man!"*

—Shakespeare



OUR ALMA MATER WE HONOR THEE,



... SHAPING AND GUIDING OUR DESTINY



— AFTER WE HAVE PARTED, AS THE YEARS ROLL BY, —



WE'LL KEEP EACH MEMORY. HAIL, HAIL, TO THEE.



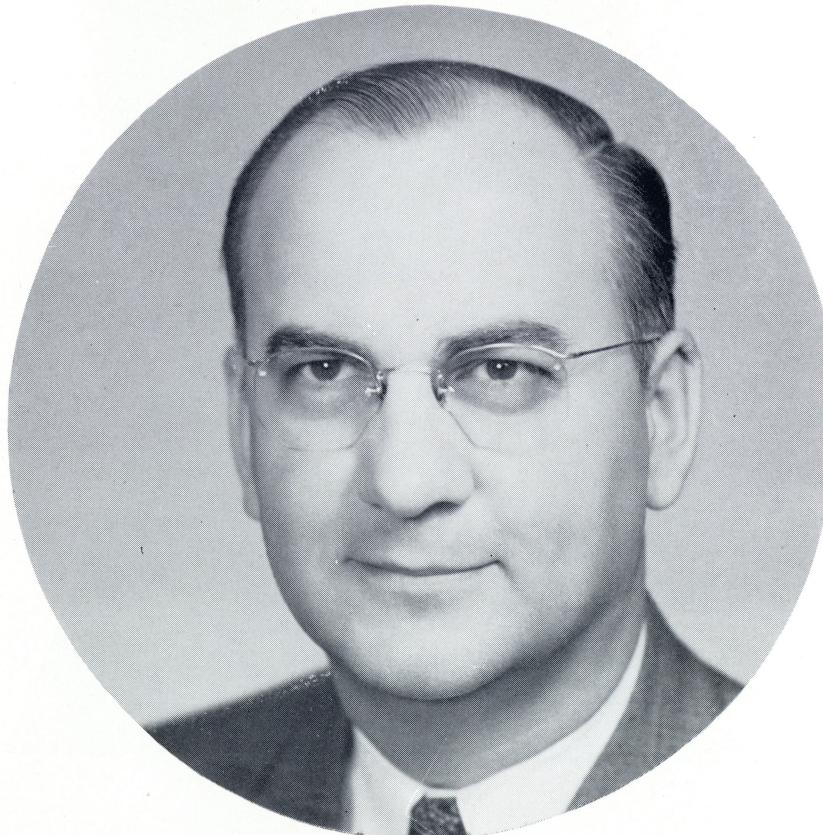
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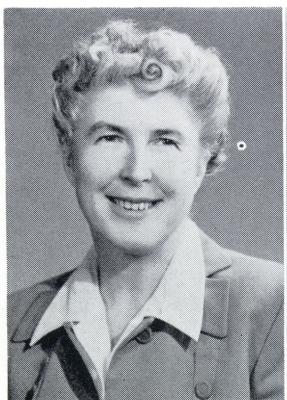
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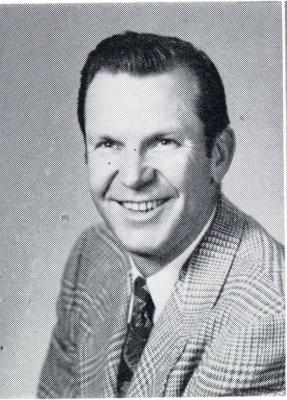
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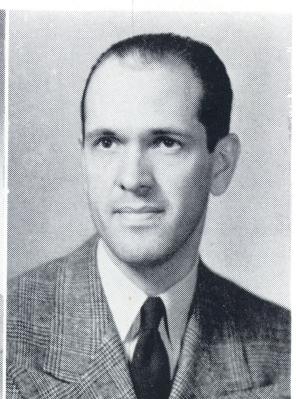
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Piano, Organ



MCCORMICK, MARTHA  
Mathematics

PORTER, MARY BINGHAM  
Violin



RATEKIN, EULA  
Chemistry



READ, BETTY  
Physical Education



SELVES, CATHERINE  
Mathematics



SMITH, LELA  
English

SOVEREIGN, OLIVER  
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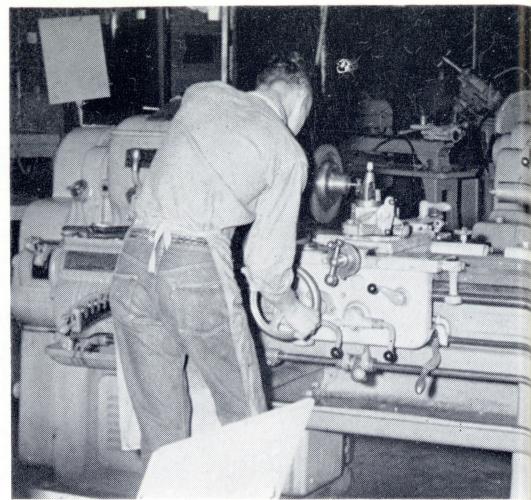
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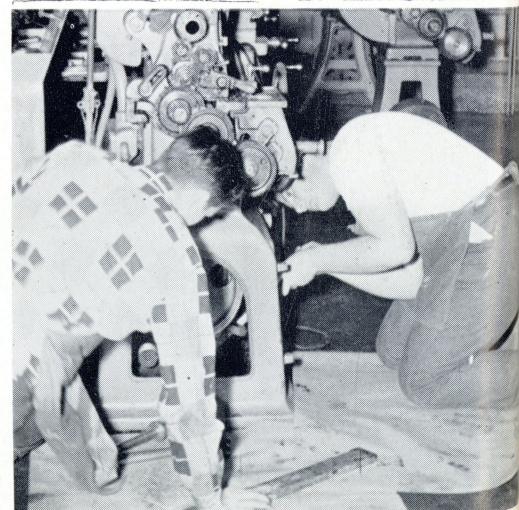
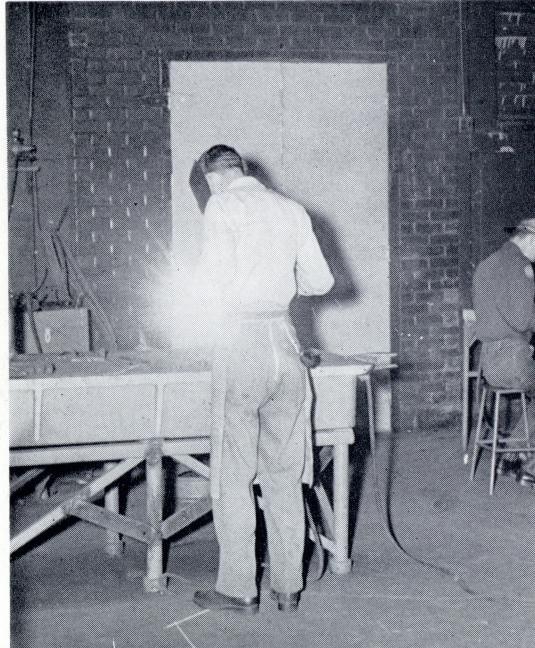


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## TRADE SCHOOL

Classes in auto mechanics, body and fender, sheet metal, carpentry, machine shop, and welding are taught at Franklin Vocational School. This is one of the best equipped technical schools in this section of the United States.





## BLAINE HALL

The cafeteria and Lion's Den, a recreation center for all students, compose the first two floors. On third floor is a classroom, faculty men's lounge, and office of the Crossroads.



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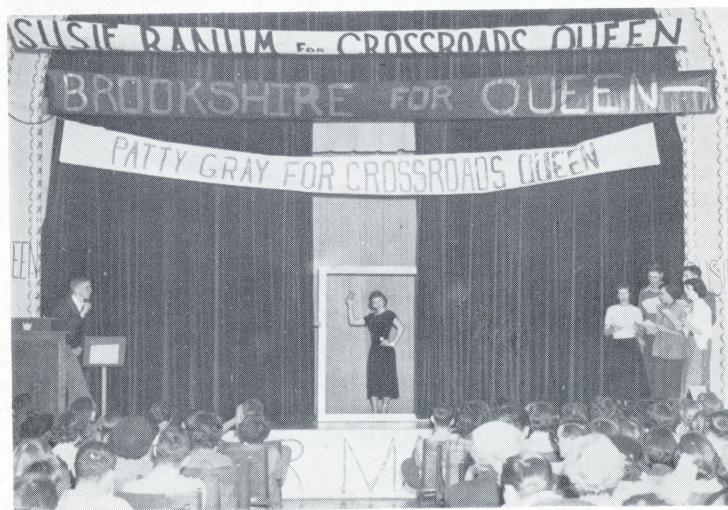
# CROSSROADS CAMPAIGN



Patty Gray is dancing her way to become Crossroads Queen at the campaign assembly.



Mary Brookshire also impressed the audience when her campaigners presented a school scene.



For Suzanne Ranum's campaign Diana Martin is convincing the audience in the song, "If You Knew Suzie."

# CROSSROADS CORONATION



Donna Ackerman 1952 Crossroads Queen; Johnny Braeckel, Campaign Manager, and Suzanne Ranum, Attendant; Lloyd Reis, Student Senate President; Patty Gray, 1953 Crossroads Queen, and Don Miller, Campaign Manager; Douglas K. Coffey, Crown Bearer; Mary Brookshire, Attendant, and Wayne Carter, Campaign Manager.



Miss Suzanne Ranum

## CROSSROADS QUEEN

MISS PATTY GRAY



Miss Mary Brookshire



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ACKERMAN, DONNA  
General Culture  
Joplin, Mo.



ASH, THOMAS  
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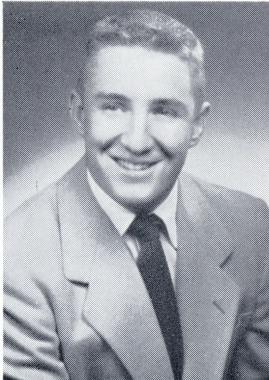
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BROOKSHIRE, JUDITH  
Teacher Training  
Joplin, Mo.



BRYANT, RONALD  
General Culture  
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BUZZARD, LORETTA  
Arts & Science  
Joplin, Mo.

BYRD, BILL  
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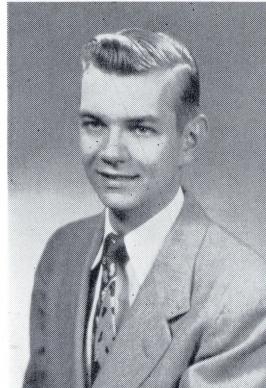
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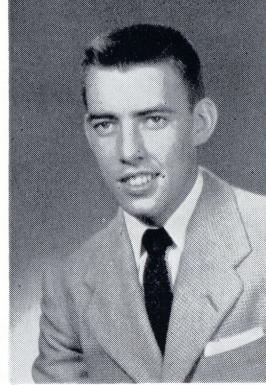
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HECKERT, HENRY  
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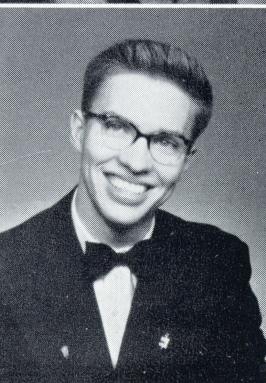
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JOHNS, BARBARA  
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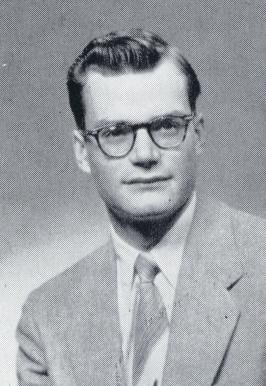
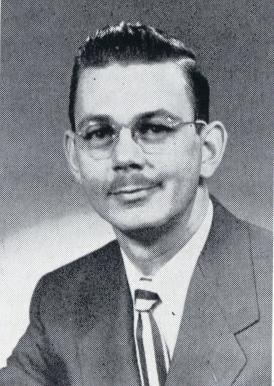
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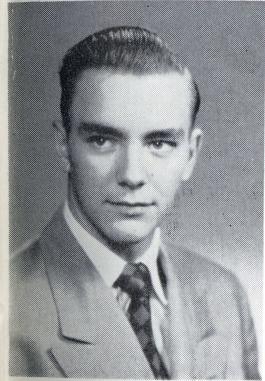
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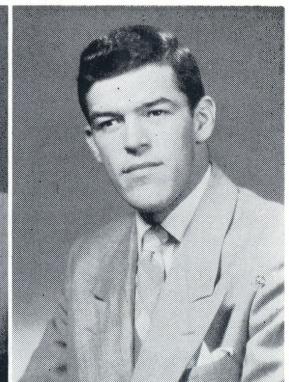
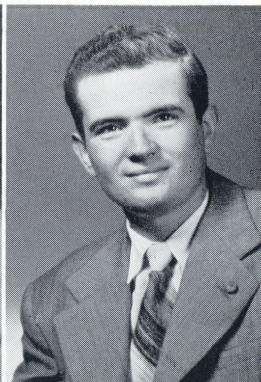
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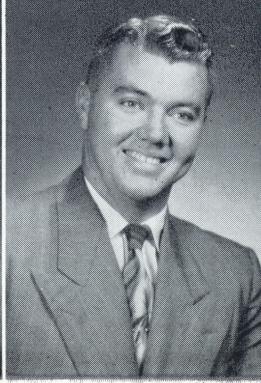
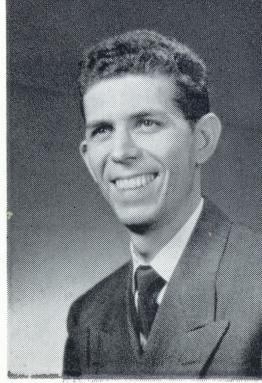
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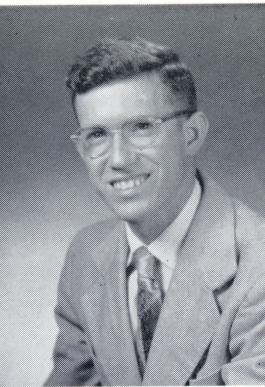


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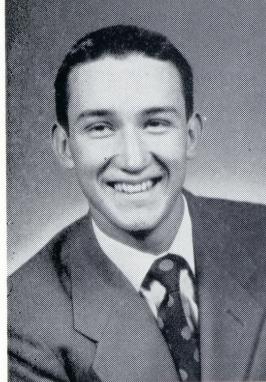




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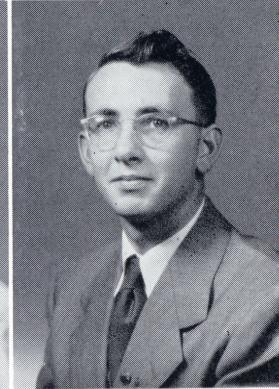
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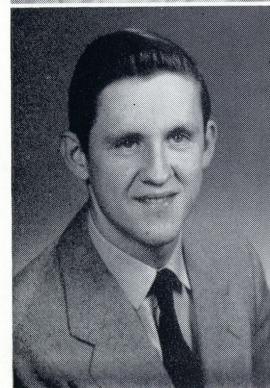
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Joplin, Mo.

WELDON, THOMAS  
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Neosho, Mo.



ZABSKY, JOHN  
Pre-Engineering  
Joplin, Mo.

# FRESHMAN CLASS

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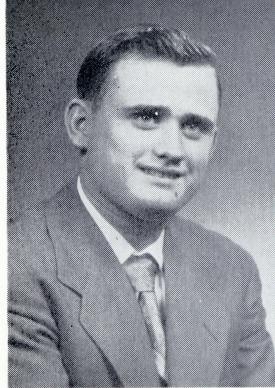




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ARCHER, RUTH  
Sarcoxie, Mo.  
General Business

ATTEBERRY, TOMMY  
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Joplin, Mo.



ATWELL, SAMUEL  
General Culture  
Joplin, Mo.

BABBITT, JOE  
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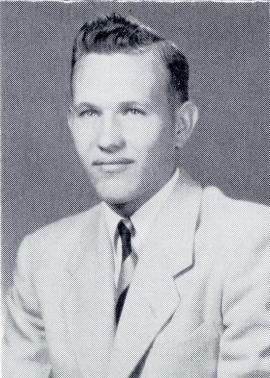
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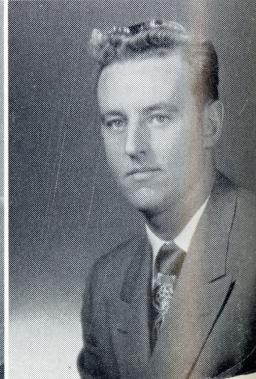
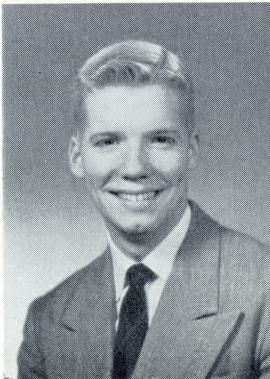
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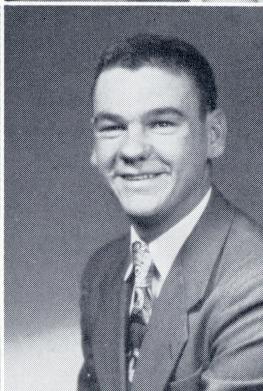
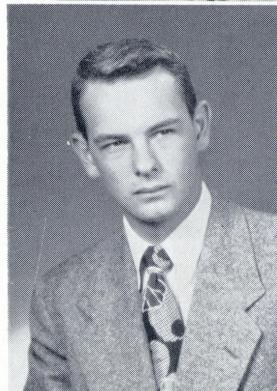
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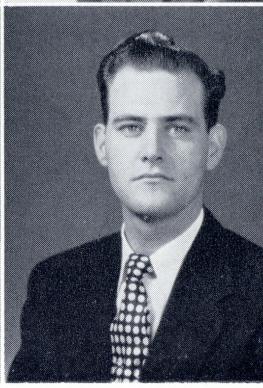
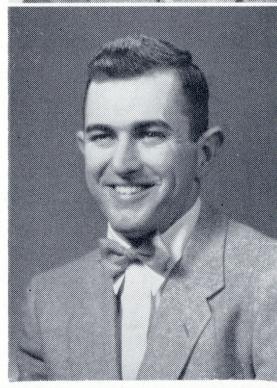
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BURNETT, KENNETH  
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CHAMBERLAIN, ROBERT  
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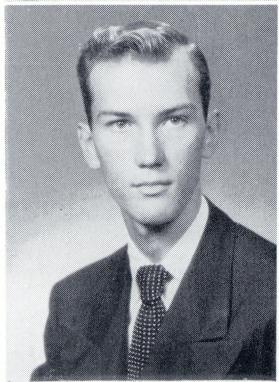
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COX, BOB  
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CRAMPTON, SANFORD  
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CROSSLEY, LESLIE  
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CURLEY, ROSA  
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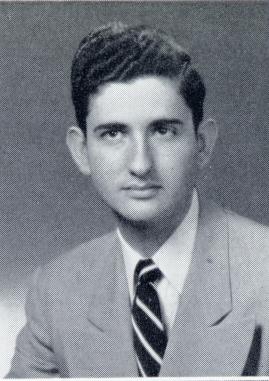
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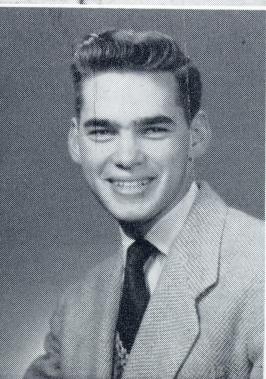
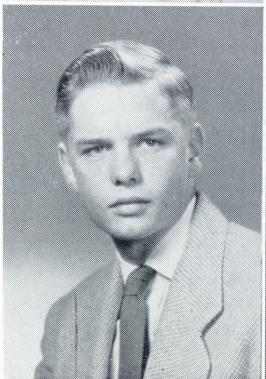
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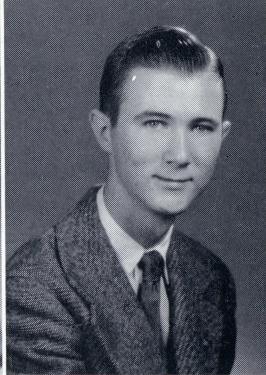




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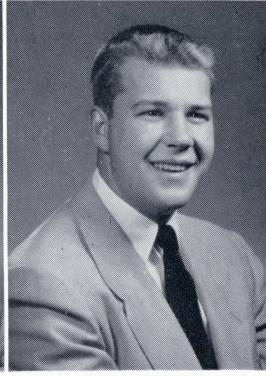
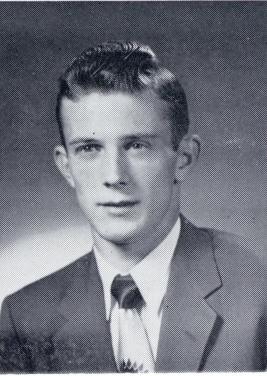
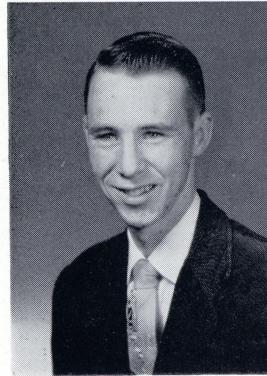
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GREENWOOD, CHARLES  
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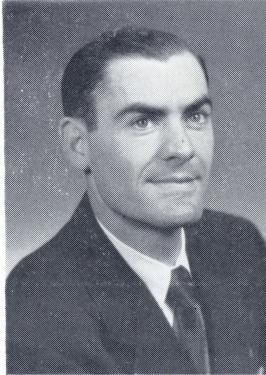
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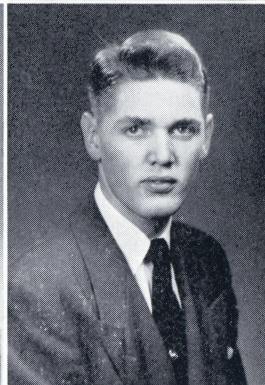
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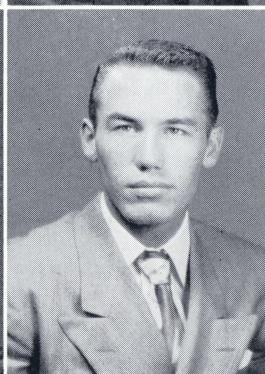


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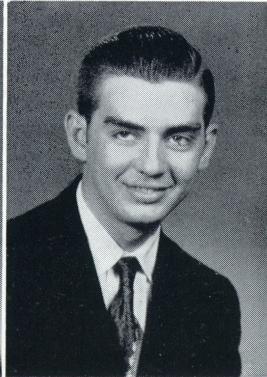
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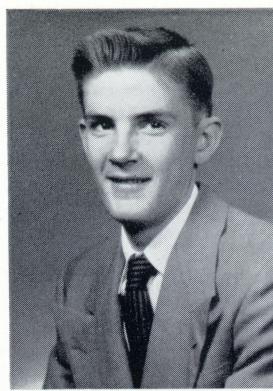


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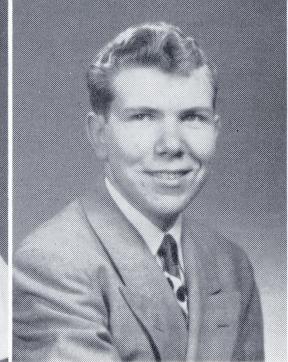
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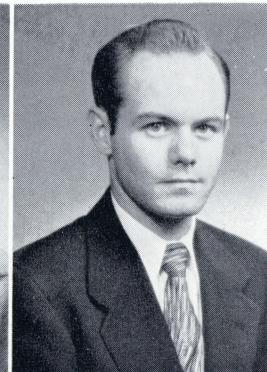
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LASTER, BARBARA  
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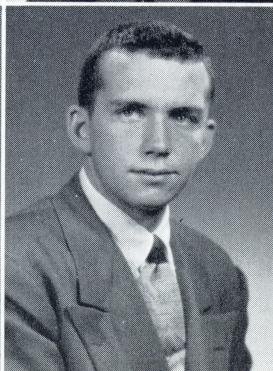
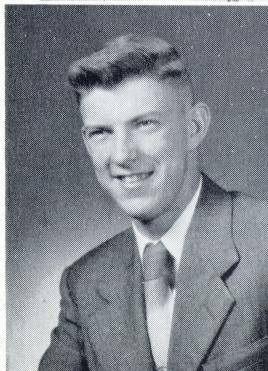
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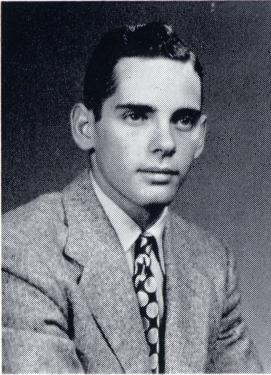
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McCOWN, BETTY  
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MCCULLEY, CARL  
Pre-Business  
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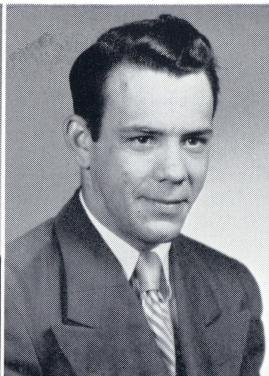
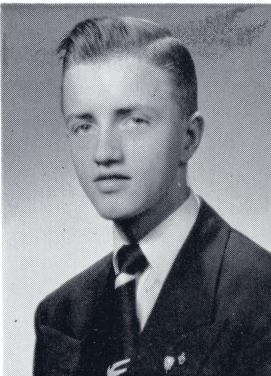
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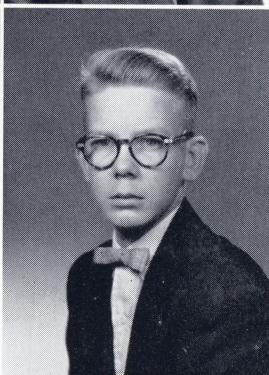
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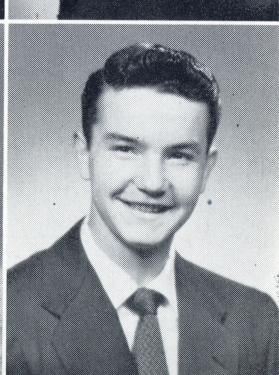
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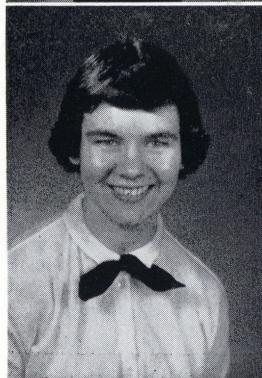


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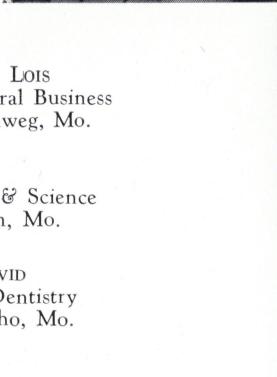
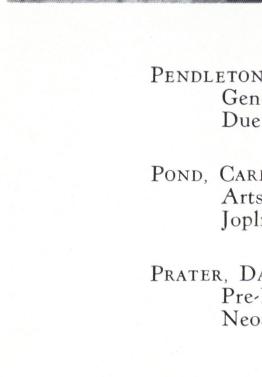
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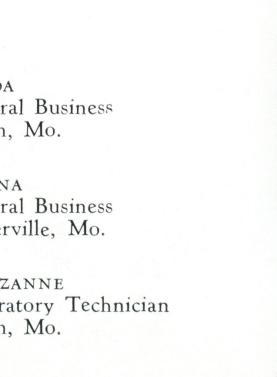
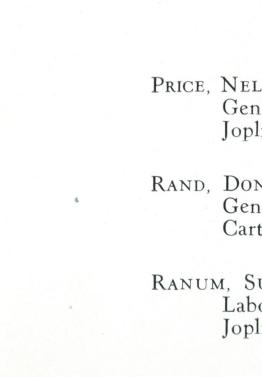
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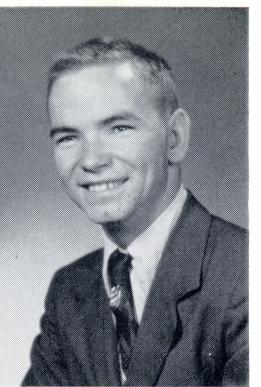
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Carterville, Mo.



RAY, SHIRLEY  
General Business  
Joplin, Mo.



REYNOLDS, ANNA  
Arts & Science  
Carl Junction, Mo.

REYNOLDS, GLEN  
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RIDER, ROBERT  
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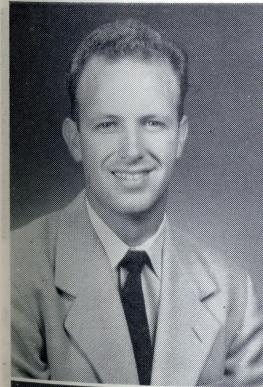
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ROY, EVELYN  
Teacher Training  
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SANDY, RICHARD  
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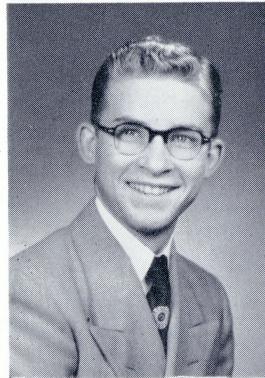
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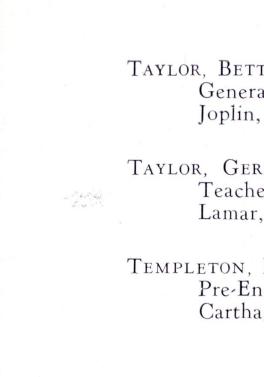
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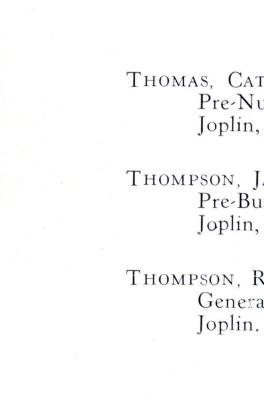


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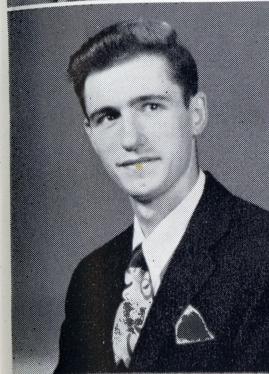
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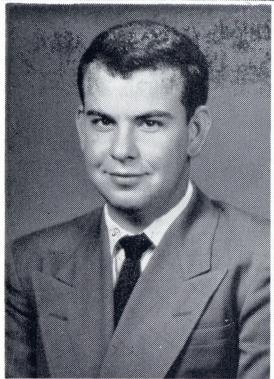
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WORTHINGTON, JAMES  
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YOUNG, ROBERT  
General Culture  
Pineville, Mo.



# ATHLETICS HOMECOMING





Sammy Crampton crowns Jo Ann  
1952-'53 Homecoming Queen

## HOMECOMING QUEEN

MISS JO ANN HOLMAN





Miss Mary Brookshire



## HOECOMING



Miss Amy Hobart



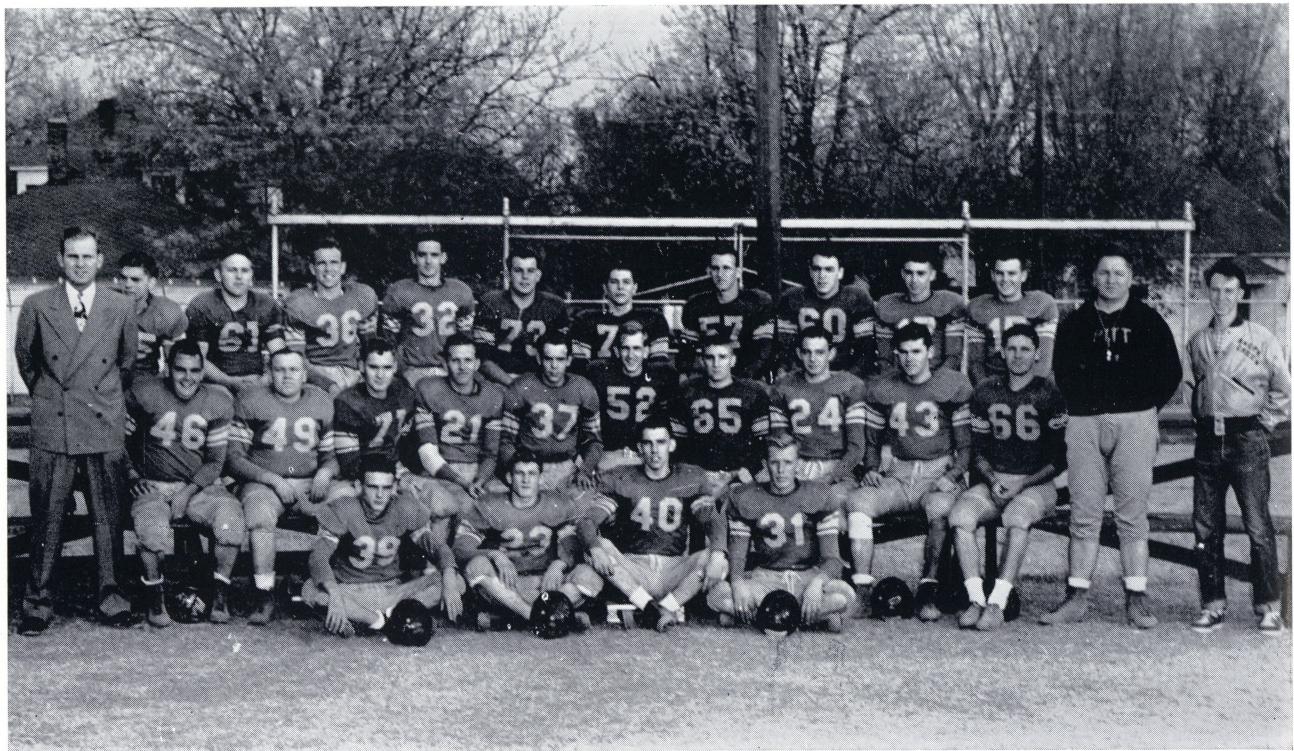
Miss Susie Stinson

## ATTENDANTS

Miss Diana Martin



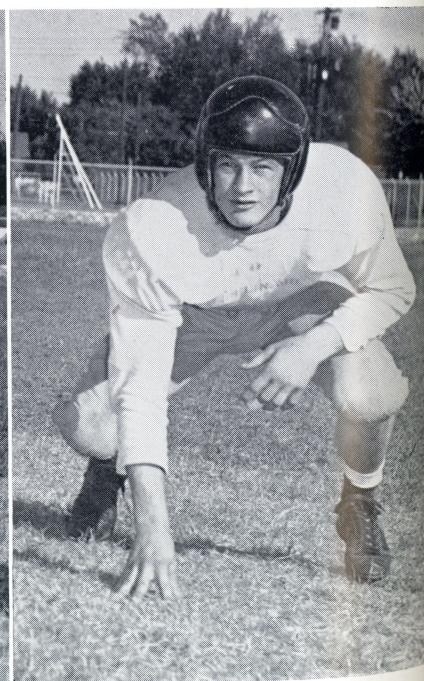
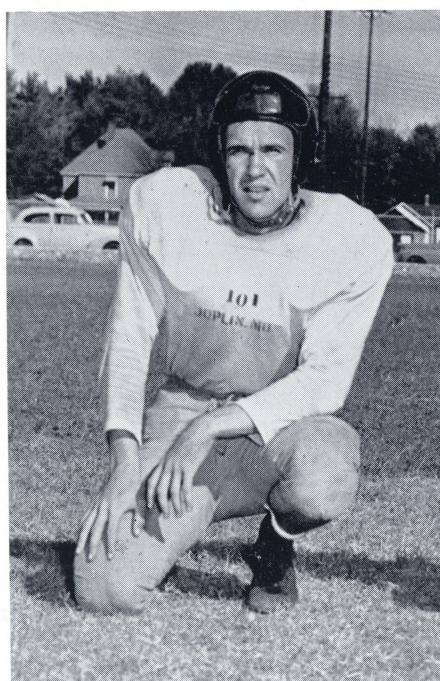
# FOOTBALL



First Row: Don Brown, Sam Crampton, Ed Hill, Bill Baum.

Second Row: Coach Don Testerman, Don Shivley, James Thompson, Jim Black, Jim Berry, Bill Miller, Jack Dale, Bill Byrd, Dick McDowell, Ronald Fly, Condia Ellison, Coach Dudley Stegge, Manager Ralph Green.

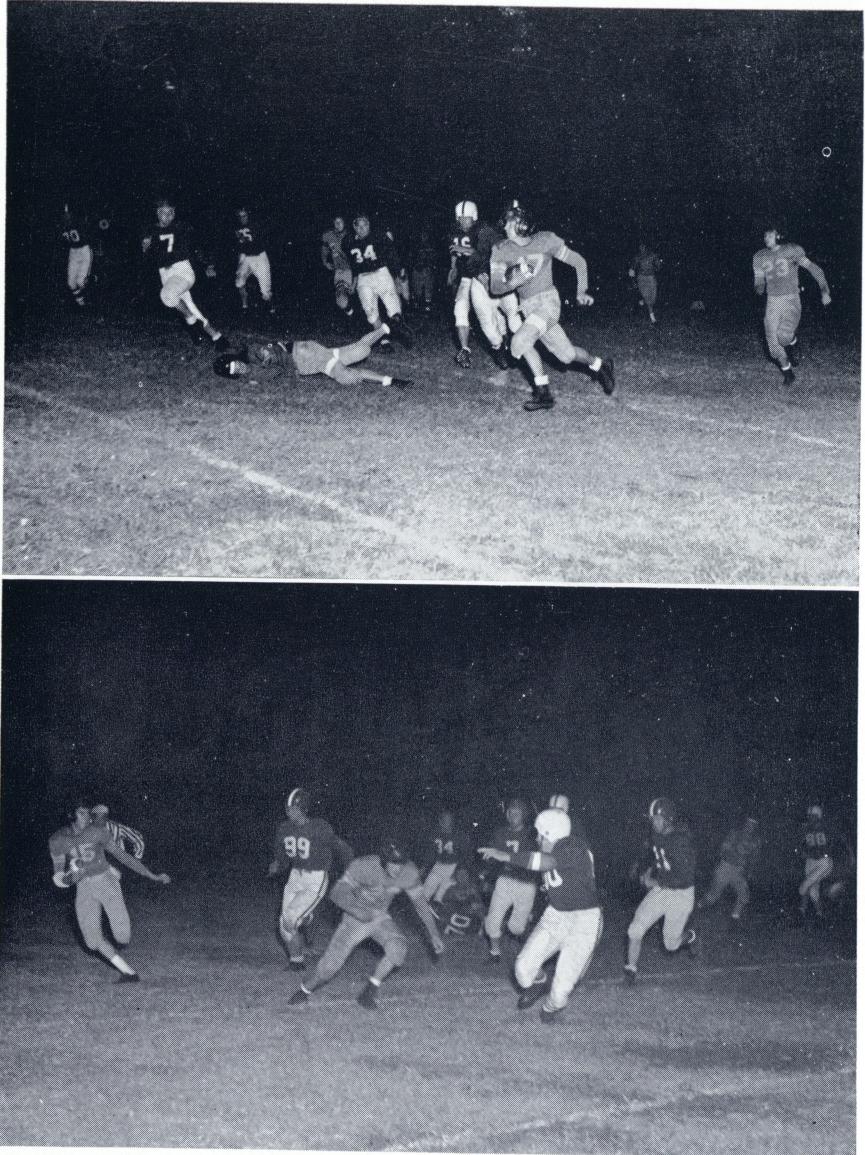
Third Row: Jim Gaskill, Ralph Cyphers, Bob Niswonger, Roland Wilson, John Wilson, Terry Lacey, Bob Roller, Morris Hunt, Max Hight, Don Michael.



Bob Niswonger, left, was the mainstay of a light but determined forward wall. Captain Sammy Crampton, right, the Carl Junction halfback and linebacker, is one of J.J.C.'s most inspirational athletes.



Fullback Bill Byrd wound up as the Lions' highest scorer. His 21 points in the season's finale against O.M.A. will long be remembered by J.J.C. sports fans.



A 31-6 victory over a Fort Scott eleven which had previously defeated the Lions 18-0 was the high point of the season. Coach Dudley Stegge's charges gained much experience which should be valuable next year to the returning squad members. Constantly facing bigger squads of greater manpower, the 1952-'53 Lion team proved to be a scrappy outfit which never gave up.

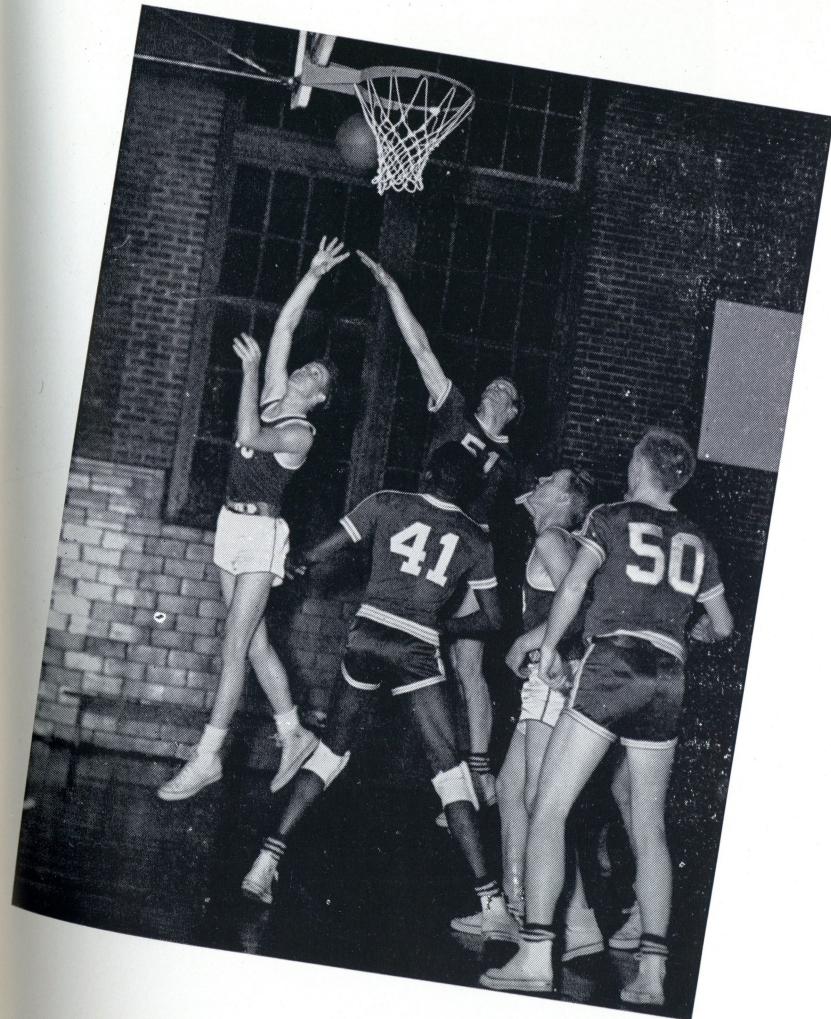
# CHEERLEADERS

Dull moments were few and far between for Lion sports fans this year; and a large measure of our athletic success can be attributed to our cheerleaders. Under the leadership of Captain Mary Lou Gullette, these girls kept school spirit at a high level.



Left to right: Mary Lou Gullette, Mary Brookshire, Jo Ann Bauman, Judy Brookshire, Carol Lou Clark, Susie Stinson, Amy Hobart and Joan Moon. (not pictured, Pat Wimer).

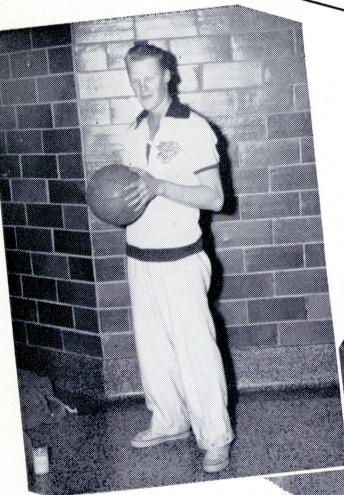
# BASKETBALL



## SCORES

JJC	56	Camp Crowder	51
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JJC	46	Camp Crowder	72
JJC	71	Iola J.C.	78
JJC	64	Connors Aggies	68
JJC	37	NE Okla. A & M	59
JJC	59	OMA	37
JJC	56	NE Okla. A & M	75
JJC	71	Bolivar J.C.	68
JJC	48	Independence J.C.	74
JJC	50	St. Joseph J.C.	53
JJC	66	NE Okla. A & M	72
JJC	61	Independence J.C.	70
JJC	80	Fort Scott J.C.	107
JJC	48	Fort Scott J.C.	92
JJC	81	Bolivar J.C.	78
JJC	71	Flat River J.C.	58
JJC	74	St. Joseph J.C.	55
JJC	57	Iola J.C.	78
JJC	57	St. Joseph J.C.	51
JJC	71	Hannibal - LaGrange	99
JJC	52	Jefferson City J.C.	58
JJC	48	Moberly J.C.	93
JJC	74	Bolivar J.C.	70

Basketball provided J.J.C. with its first championship since 1947, as the Lions ruled the M.P.J.J.C. roost as co-champs with Hannibal-LaGrange. The overall record of the 1942-43 cagers was 11 wins, 16 losses, but most of these defeats were at the hands of the larger Kansas junior colleges. The Lions wound up a brilliant season by downing Bolivar 74-70 for consolation honors in the National Junior College Regional at Moberly.



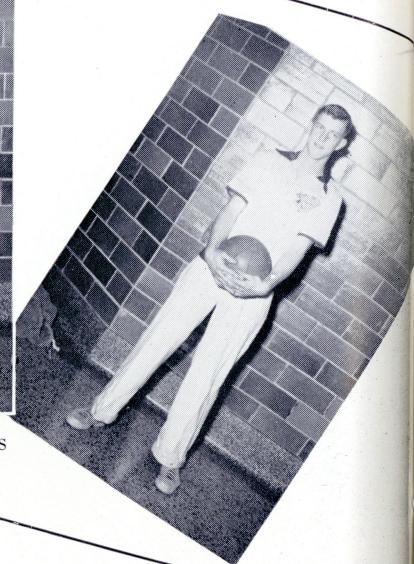
Clen Evans  
Guard



Jim Berry  
Forward



John Myers  
Guard



Ken Magruder  
Forward



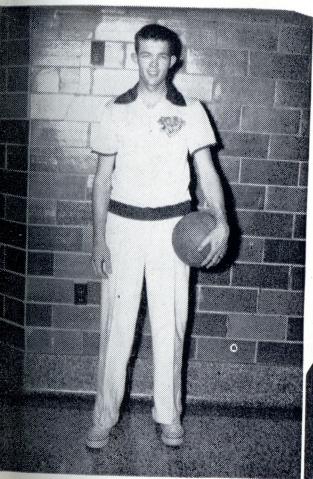
Joe Phillips  
Center

In league play the Lions defeated Bolivar twice and St. Joseph once. Only an upset loss to St. Joseph kept us from being undisputed champions; but the Green and Gold trounced the Griffons 74-55 and 57-51 in later meetings. The victories over Southeast Missouri Baptist and one of the Flat River triumphs were forfeits. As a team we outscored our league opponents by an average of 59 to 62 per game.



Chuck Kenney  
Forward

Doyle Barlet  
Guard



Scott Chamberlain  
Forward



Bobby Carnes  
Guard

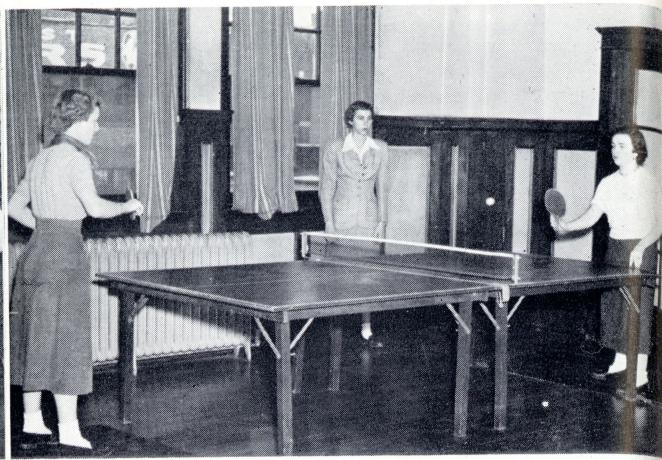


Max Hight  
Guard

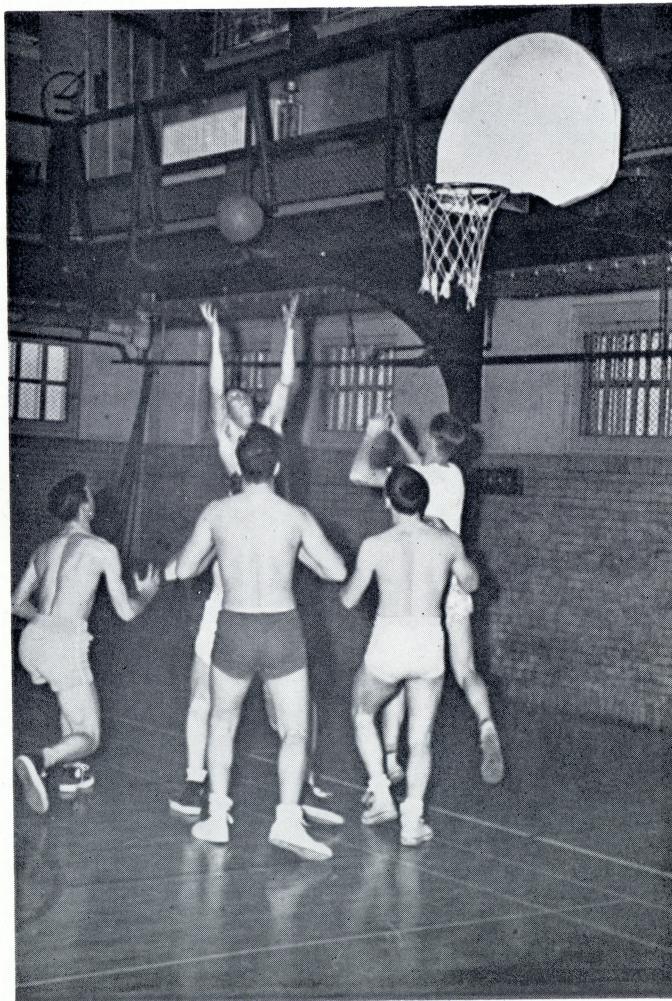


Jack Dale  
Forward

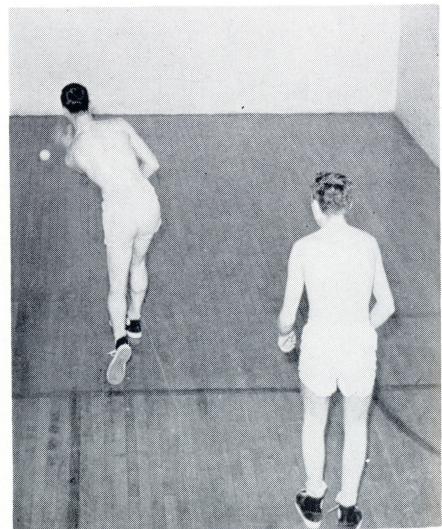
All season long the team worked well together and scoring was well-balanced. It would be hard to pick any outstanding players, but special mention must be made of Bob Young, 6 foot 3 1/2 inch center from Pineville, and Rocky Comfort's Chuck Kenney. Both averaged 15 1/2 points per game, amassing 355 to lead the squad in scoring for the year. Chuck threw in 333 points during the year and set a school mark by dunking 30 points in a game against Iola. Both were named on the all-state team.



## PHYSICAL



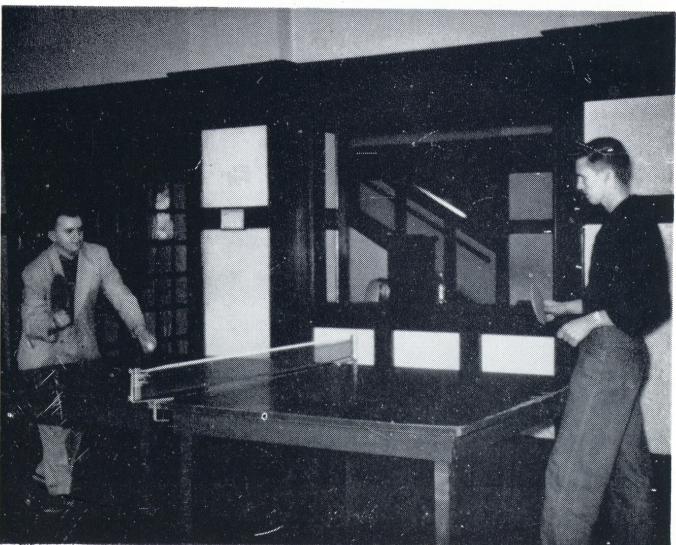
The Physical Education classes provide many activities throughout the college year, the aim of which is to develop character, leadership, physical fitness, sportsmanship, and good health habits.





## EDUCATION

Thus, interests and skills are developed for leisure time activities. Such team sports as badminton, basketball, bowling, and volleyball promote much enthusiasm for this program.





# ORGANIZATION





First Row: Catherine Jones, Mary Brookshire, Diana Martin, Edwin Michael, Ralph Green, Paul Wetzel, Robert Chamberlain, Eldon Storer, Marjorie Senter, Sally McLain, Marilyn Jarvis, Anna Dee Reynolds, Mary Hodges.

Second Row: Barbara Young, Frances Cullers, Billie Owens, Kenneth Latta, Walt James, Bob Olin, Joe McCullough, John Braeckel, Mildred Sutton, Charlene Dale, Doris Smith, Nancy Van Fleet.

Third Row: Judy Brookshire, Marion Smith, Sara Anne Gilstrap, Glenda Payne, Virginia Ehrenman, Susie Stinson, Paulina Tuggle, Mary Lindner, Beverly Grayston, Susie Ranum, Cecilia Veatch.

Fourth Row: Norma Smith, JoAnne Ross, Lois Pendleton, Uldene Longstreth, Marilyn Brooks, Barbara Brewer, Marilyn Allen, Evelyn Roy, JoAnn Holman, Martha Medcalf, Marilyn Juhnke, JoAnn Bauman, Jeannine Coffey.

Director: Oliver Sovereign.

# CHOIR





# CIVIC SYMPHONY

The Junior College Civic Symphony under the able leadership of Mr. T. Frank Coulter has presented many outstanding performances. Their afternoon performances were enjoyed by large appreciative audiences. Members of the Symphony come from the surrounding district and Joplin.



# THETA MU GAMMA



First Row: Edwin Michael, Donna Ackerman, Johnny Braeckel, Frances Cullers, Diana Martin, Suzanne Ranum, Sara Gilstrap, Catherine Jones.

Second Row: Cecilia Veatch, Virginia Ehrenman, Walter James, Jim Harron, Harry Fay, Barbara Brewer.

The three trumpeteers,  
Don Miller, Bill Byrd, and  
Jim Harron entertain an  
audience during lunch hour.



# LANGUAGE CLUB



Seated: Joel McKinney, Loretta Buzzard, Virginia Newby, Marilyn Allen, Martha Medcalf, Leonard Moffett.  
Standing: Carol Thornberry, Sally McLain, Beverly Grayston, Sara Gilstrap, Yvonne Hood, Patricia Wimer.

# CROSSROADS



Dick Pond, Paulina Tuggle, Marilyn Allen, Pat Croley, Jimmie Harron.

First Row: Marilyn Brooks, Lois Pendleton, Marion Ladd, Jerry Haslett, Doris Smith, Amelia Hobart.  
Second Row: Billie Owens, JoAnn Holman, Anna Dee Reynolds.

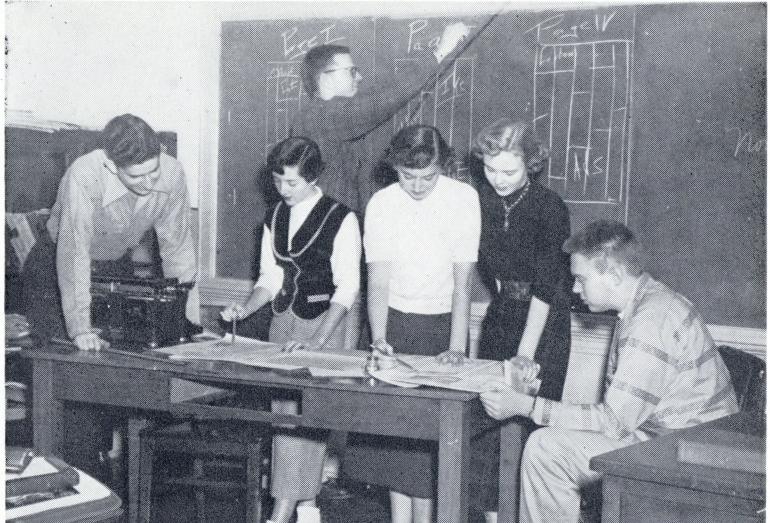


# CHART



Reva Leonard  
Paul Wetzel  
Barbara Johnson  
Pat Wimer

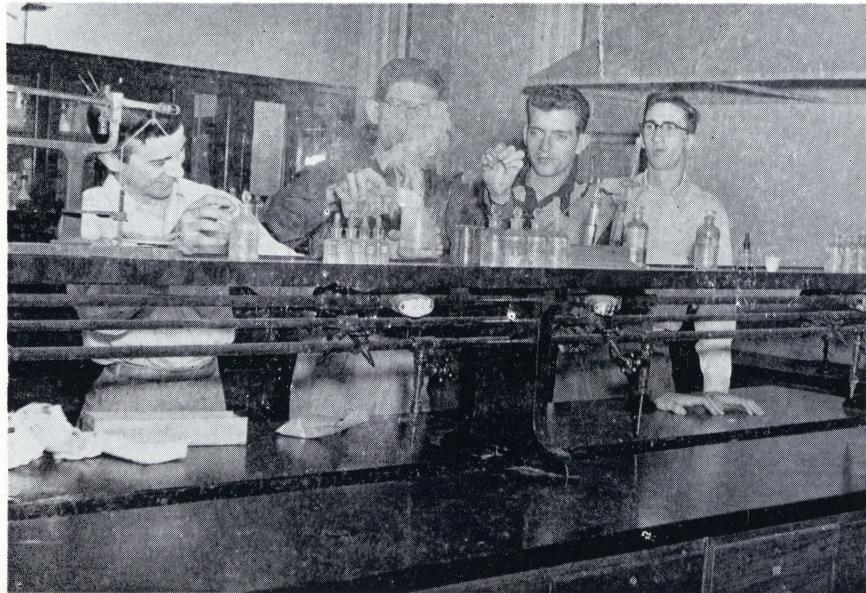
Jack Eisen  
Ruth Murray  
Henry Heckart  
Nancy Forkum  
Sally McLain  
Fred Smith



First Row: Nelda Price, Marilyn Juhnke,  
Anna Dee Reynolds.

Second Row: Shirley Kennedy, John  
Braeckel, Tom Ash, Richard Kugler,  
Edwin Michael, Kenneth MacGruder,  
Geraldine Taylor, Sanford Dorbin,  
Cletis Headlee, sponsor.

# SCIENCE CLUB



Midst the smoke of the great experiment are Ken Latta, Lloyd Reis, Jack Nolan, and Bill Brill.

Working on a project in the physics room are Don Harrington, Jerry Haslett, Jack Douthitt, John Zabsky, Richard Kugler, and Charlie Boyd.



# D. E. CLUB

These boys are studying hard to be good businessmen.



Bill Reser  
Dale Holloway  
Bob Green  
Jim Burnett  
Don Stratton  
Eldon Morgan  
Jim Stratton, sponsor

# BETA BETA BETA



Pictured are: Donna Ackerman; Sue Travis, Vice-President; Jo Ann Holman; Catherine Jones, Pledge Mother; Marilyn Allen, Secretary; Loretta Buzzard, President.

Sponsor: Ada Coffey.



Beta members and pledges: Jo Ann Holman, Sue Travis, Catherine Jones, Loretta Buzzard, Jo Ann Van noy, Marilyn Allen, Marilyn Jarvis, Joan Graves, Marilyn Brooks, Marian Ladd, Charmion Claycomb, Sally McLain, Mary Hodges, Ilah Townsend, Sally Funk, Suzie Stinson, Amelie Hobart, Nancy Forkum, Anna Dee Reynolds, Marion Smith, Mary Lindner, Lois Pendleton, Charlene Dale, Janet Colson, Connie Sheddower, Carol Lou Clark, Nelda Price, Alicia Newton, Beverly Grayston, Marilyn Juhnke, and Doris Smith.

# ALPHA KAPPA MU



Sitting: Gerry Wilson, Betty Taylor, Donna Lou Witzansky, Jo Ann Bauman, Judy Brookshire, President; Mary Lou Gullette, Vice-President; Billie Owens.

Standing: Shirley Ray, Joyce Alberty, Glenda Payne, Mary Brookshire, Diana Martin, Norma Lou Smith, Carol Thornberry. Sponsor: Loretta Frazier.

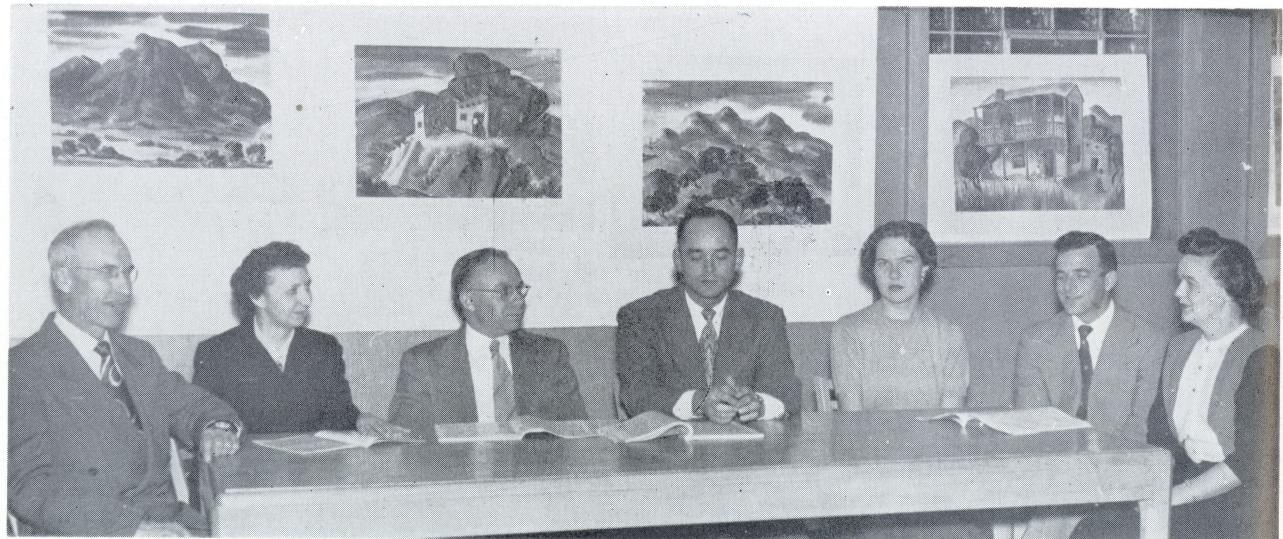
Pledge Mother Yvonne Hood is putting pledges Frances Cullers, Glenda Payne, Shirley Ray, and Betty McGown through their initiation.



# STUDENT CABINET



First Row: Yvonne Hood, Bill Byrd, Eldon Morgan, Loretta Buzzard, John Zabsky, Lloyd Reis, Paulina Tuggle.  
Second Row: Martha Medcalf, Anna Dee Reynolds, Catherine Jones, Judy Brookshire.



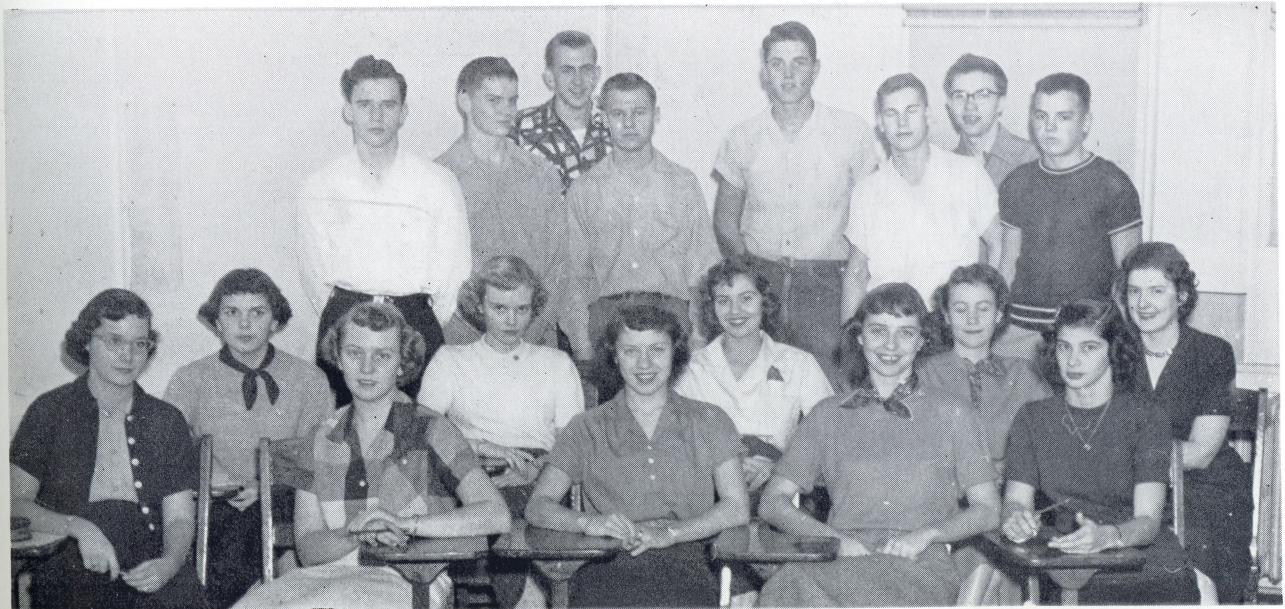
James Willey, Dorothy Stone, Orie Cheatham, Jack Parker, Sally Shedelbower, Elroy Thomas, Alice Buzzard.

## OFFICERS

President ..... Lloyd Reis  
Vice President ..... Ed Hill  
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Donna Ackerman  
Parliamentarian ..... Doyle Bartlet



## STUDENT SENATE



First Row: Mary Lou Gullette, Jo Ann Holman, Diana Martin, Amy Hobart, Joan Moon.  
Second Row: Mary Brookshire, Sally McLain, Carol Lou Clark, Suzie Ranum, Charlene Dale.  
Third Row: Darrel Taylor, Jim Gaskill, Jack Dale, Don Miller, Walt James, Jim Newman, Richard Kuglar,  
Don Michael.



First Row: Gene Bayne, Johnny Green, Bill Wittich.

Second Row: Mr. Stratton, Adviser; Johnny Braeckel, Secretary-Treasurer; Ed Michael, Vice-President; Tony Gerwert, Frank Moffett, Don Miller, President; Don Murray, Mr. Dryer, Adviser; Richard Kugler, John King.

Third Row: Jess Eastman, Ray Elosua, Jim Worthington, Byron Landers, Charles Kimbro, Glenn Stark, Dick Pond, Joe McCullough.

## Y. M. C. A.

A joint luncheon meeting  
of the Y.M.C.A. and the  
Y.W.C.A.



# Y. W. C. A.



First Row: Carol Lou Clark, Charmion Claycomb, Yvonne Hood, Reva Leonard, Marian Ladd, Lois Pendleton, Joan Graves, Catherine Jones, Jo Ann Holman, Carol Thornberry.

Second Row: Barbara Young, Deloris Miller, Janet Colson, Geraldine Wilson, Virginia Ehrenman, Virginia Newby, Marilyn Jarvis, Sally McLain.

Third Row: Beverly Grayston, Suzanne Stinson, Marilyn Juhnke, Patty Gray, Norma Smith, Anna Dee Reynolds, Betty Taylor, Frances Cullers, Glenda Payne, JoAnn Bauman, Loretta Buzzard.

Fourth Row: Cecilia Veatch, Betty McCown, Donna Ackerman, Jeannine Coffee, Donna Lou Witzansky, Alicia Newton, Joyce Albury, Nelda Price, Shirley Ray, Alta Coleman, Rose Thompson, Nancy Forkum, Mary Brookshire.

Fifth Row: Doris Smith, Jo Anna Steele, Charlene Dale, Paulina Tuggle, Barbara Brewer, Marilyn Allen, Sue Travis, Martha Medcalf, Mary Lindner, Diana Martin, Donna Rand.



# PHI THETA

Members and their parents and the faculty enjoyed a banquet and program after the initiation in January.



First Row: Virginia Newby, Loretta Buzzard, Barbara Brewer, Susie Ranum, Cecilia Veatch, Deloris Walker, Sara Anne Gilstrap, Shirley Kennedy, Marilyn Jarvis, Sally McLain.

Second Row: Harold Luman, Joe McKinney, Don Harrington, Richard Stiles, Doyle Barlett, Martha Medcalf, Marilyn Allen, Pat Croley, Lloyd Reis, Bill Brill, Paulina Tuggle, John Bishir, Howard Hartley, Jimmie Johnson, Richard Kugler, John Braeckel, Sanford Dorbin.

Bob Heater in one of his relaxed poses between classes.



## COLLEGE PLAYERS



First Row: Jewel Kirchner, Cecilia Veatch, Nancy Forkum, Don Murray, Marilyn Juhnke, John Braeckel, Martha Medcalf, Bob Olin, Dick Pond, Yvonne Hood.

Second Row: Robert Heater, Sponsor, Bob Bealmer, Marilyn Jarvis, Amelia Hobart, Bob Roller, Doris Smith, Sally McLain.

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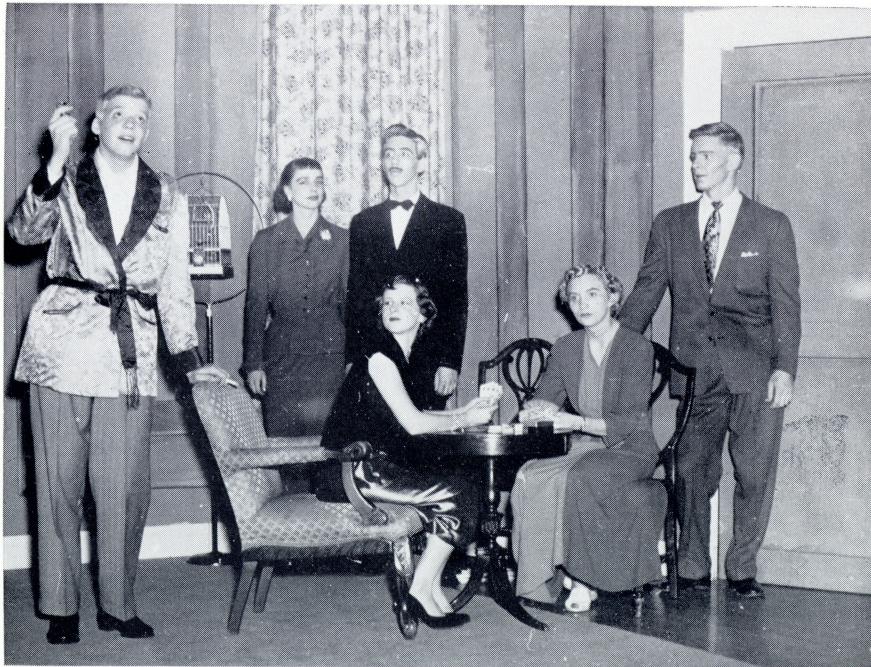


## LIGHT UP THE SKY

by  
Moss Hart

### Dramatis Personae

Nan Lowell ..... Amalie Hobart  
Carleton Fitzgerald .... John Braeckel  
Francis Black ..... Sally Funk  
Owen Turner ..... Bob Bealmear  
Stella Livingston .... Marilyn Juhnke  
Peter Sloan ..... Bob Olin  
Sidney Black ..... Leonard Moffitt  
Sven ..... Ralph Cyphers  
Irene Livingston .... Martha Medcalf  
Tyler Rayburn ..... Joel McKenney  
A Shriner ..... Ed Hill  
William Gallagher .. Warren Pearson  
A Plain-Clothes Man .... Virgil Boyd



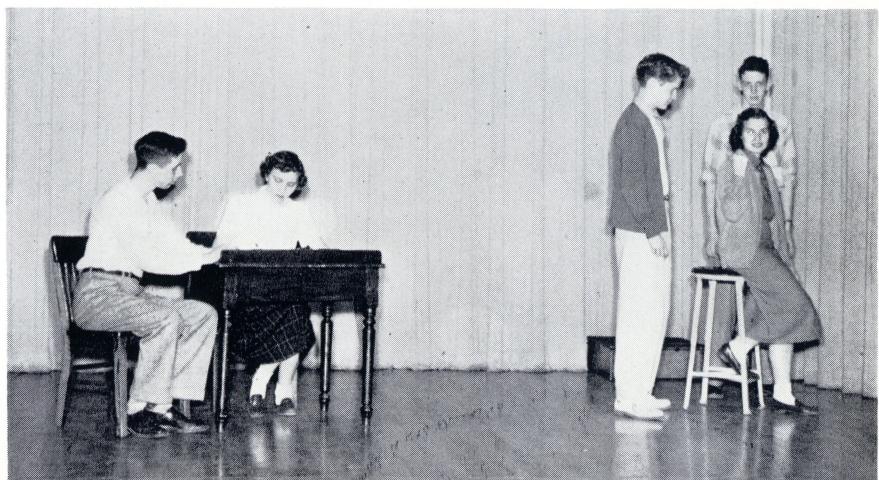
# PRODUCTIONS

## HIGH GROUND

by  
Charlotte Hastings

### Dramatis Personae

Nurse Phillips .....	Jewel Kirchner
Nurse Brent .....	Sally McLain
Sister Josephine .....	Joan Owen
Willy Pentridge .....	Robert Olin
Sister Mary .....	Marilyn Juhnke
Dr. Jeffries .....	Robert Bealmear
Mother Superior .....	Patsy Wimer
Melling .....	Blair Hoyt
Miss Pierce .....	Cecilia Veatch
Sarat Carn .....	Uldene Longstreh
Martha Pentridge .....	
Martha Medcalf and Yvonne Hood	



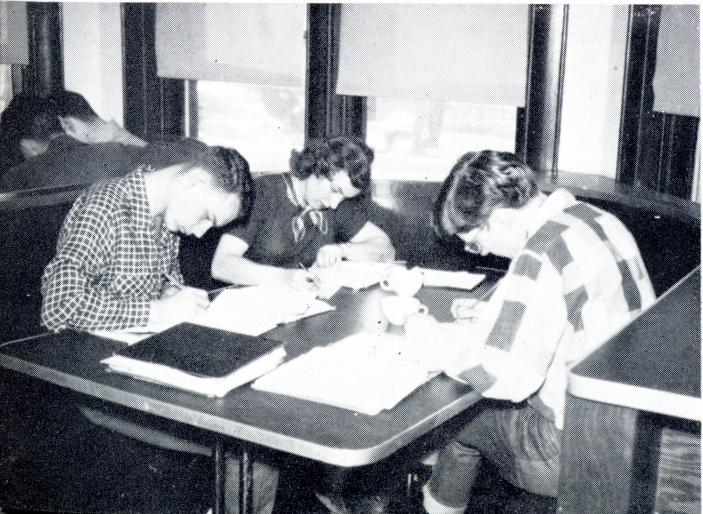
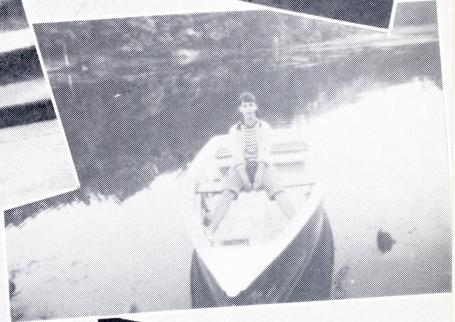
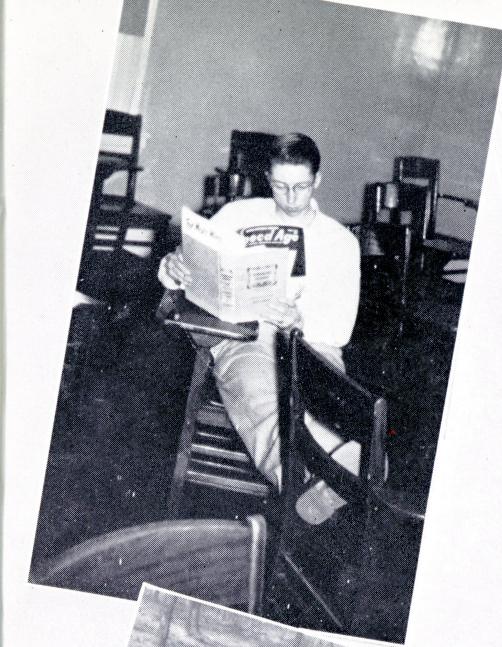
# STUDENT NURSES



Left to right -- seated:

Georgia Kennedy, Agnes Wieland, Ruth Nicoletti, Peggy Garde, Rosa Curley.  
Left to right -- standing:

Virginia Elder, Barbara Robinson, Dorothy Hunzeker, Nancy Eckstrom, Ouida Finegan, Mary Buchanan,  
Mary Blinzler, Catherine Thomas.











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